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                 REDUCTION OF A GAS COMPONENT IN  
                 AN EXHAUST GAS FLOW OF A  
                 COMBUSTION ENGINE

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**RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION MAILED OCTOBER 11, 2006**

**INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS:**

In response to the Non-Final Office Action mailed October 11, 2006, please amend the above-identified U.S. patent application as follows:

**Amendments to the specification** begin on page 2 of this paper.

**Amendments to the drawings** begin on page 4 of this paper.

**Listing of the claims** begins on page 5 of this paper. This listing of claims replaces all prior versions and prior listings of claims in the application.

**Remarks** begin on page 9 of this paper.